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SUBJECT: DEATH OF ANDRE MALRAUX.

EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO
MALRAUX'S DAUGHTER, MADAM ALAIN RESNAIS.

BEGIN TEXT: "DEAR MADAM RESNAIS: IN THIS MOMENT OF SADNESS,
I WISH TO ADD MY CONDOLENCES TO THOSE OF THE MILLIONS WHO
MOURN THE PASSING OF YOUR FATHER. ANDRE MALRAUX LIVED IN
THE CENTURY OF THE MASS MOVEMENT, YET BY HIS LIFE HE DEMON-
STRATED THAT COMPARTMENTALIZATION, DEPERSONALIZATION, AND
BRUTALIZATION WERE NOT, INELUCTABLY, MAN'S FATE. AS A MAN
OF ACTION, OF LETTERS, AND OF STATE, HE TRANSCENDED THE CON-
STRAINTS WHICH IDEOLOGY PLACES ON HUMAN COMPASSION AND
UNDERSTANDING. HE SERVED BUT ONE CAUSE -- THAT OF HUMAN
DIGNITY. NEVER HAS THAT CAUSE BEEN BETTER SERVED. WITH THE
PASSING OF ANDRE MALRAUX, FRANCE HAS LOST ITS MOST BRILLIANT
SON, MANKIND ITS MOST ARDENT CHAMPION. SINCERELY, HENRY A.
KISSINGER." END TEXT. ROBINSON

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